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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION of:

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TOMOAKI KURANO et al.

Application No.: 09/645,619

Group Art Unit: 2616

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Examiner: JAMIE J. VENT

Title: MULTICHANNEL RECORDING DEVICE AND METHOD

November 1, 2004

- RCE AMENDMENT -

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated August 5, 2004, and in conjunction with the RCE filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows: